

This is a published notice on the Find a Tender service: <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/006339-2025>

Planning

SLAM Lot 3 - Culturally Appropriate and Faith Support

South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-006339

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04e54c

Published 20 February 2025, 3:38pm

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust

Bethlem Royal Hospital

Beckenham

BR3 3BX

Email

jdeoliveraneto@ecovategroup.com

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI - London

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.slam.nhs.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

<https://health-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Health

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

SLAM Lot 3 - Culturally Appropriate and Faith Support

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

All - Age Mental Health Alliance are seeking to commission a partnership of voluntary and community sector providers who will work in the London Borough of Lewisham to support people aged 18 years and over in their wellness and recovery to:

- Access prevention and early intervention services
- Prepare for engagement with therapeutic interventions
- Make improvements in their identified need from their DIALOG score
- Access meaningful interventions alongside a range of meaningful therapeutic interventions
- Access to non-Eurocentric therapeutic interventions

The anticipated contract term is from 1st April 2025 to 31st March 2027 with the ability to extend the contract by up to 12 months at the sole discretion of the Trust (in multiple periods as required by the Trust).

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85323000 - Community health services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKI - London

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This is a notice of intent to publish a future tender opportunity.

South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust, on behalf of the All- Age Mental Health Alliance, would like to engage with the market to understand a potential partnership of Culturally Appropriate and Faith Support group providers. This service will be a partnership of organisations that will support people with their mental health and wellbeing. The expectation is that a partnership of organisations will come together to deliver interventions that proactively engage with culturally diverse and faith communities to support them in their mental health.

This service will be expected to deliver a range of initiatives and interventions including:

- Community Development – to begin to build trust and co-design what initiatives and

interventions will support improvements

- To provide interventions and initiatives that support their health and wellbeing that has been identified by using DIALOG as an evidence-based outcome measure.
- Evidence based non-eurocentric therapeutic interventions – 1:1 and group work
- To build trust to prepare them to access statutory organisations.

Interventions may include, but not limited to:

- Support for different cultural communities in Lewisham, that are also age appropriate, to build trust and access mental health and wellbeing initiatives.
- Short-term individual therapeutic support tailored to the individual need
- Group interventions to address racial trauma through group therapies.
- Support young black men to build trust and access mental health and wellbeing initiatives
- Provide advocacy that meets the cultural needs of the individual to help them effectively advocate for the care and treatment they need. The advocates will address the specific challenges racially minoritised people face and challenge racism and discrimination.
- Creative activities
- Leisure activities
- Peer Support
- Social groups
- Social Inclusion
- Wellbeing activities

The contract start date is anticipated to be 1st April 2025, Whilst the Authority does not intend to depart from the timetable, it reserves the right to do so at any stage

The authority's intention is to use the Direct Award Option B in accordance with the Health Care Services (Provider Selection Regime) Regulations 2023. Suppliers will be awarded a contract if they meet the eligibility criteria to deliver the specified contract. This provides the patient with the opportunity to choose what service and provider is suitable for them, increasing patient choice.

All interest parties are asked to submit their interest to jdeoliveraneto@ecovategroup.com.

II.2.14) Additional information

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

29 March 2025

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No